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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1999,** upon the application of **CLAYTON WILLIAMS ENERGY, INC.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **3,800' Sand, Reservoir B, and 4,400' Sand, Reservoirs A and B,** in the Iowa Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To establish rules and regulations and to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate for the 3800' Sand, Reservoir B, to be designated 3800 RB SUA.
- 2. To dissolve the 4400 RA SUA previously created by Office of Conservation Order No. 39-J-2, effective September 1, 1970, and, simultaneously therewith, to establish rules and regulations and to create a single drilling and production unit designated 4400 RB SUA for the exploration for and production of oil and gas.
- 3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 4. To provide that any future wells drilled to the 3,800' Sand, Reservoir B, and the 4,400' Sand, Reservoir B, should be exempt from the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
- 5. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify each of the sands and reservoirs by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the producing characteristics change and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.
- 6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The 3,800' Sand, in the Iowa Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 39-G, effective April 27, 1965.

The 4,400' Sand, in the Iowa Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 39-J-2, effective September 1, 1970.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafavette**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La

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